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IMPLEMENTING THE METHOD

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 12, 2004, please consider the remarks as submitted herewith on the accompanying pages.

REMARKS

Claims 1-23 are all the claims pending in the application. The Examiner no longer rejects claims 1-23 for the reasons set forth in previous Office Action, however, claims 1-23 are now rejected over new references. Specifically, claims 1, 2, 17, and 19 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as allegedly being unpatentable over Fujii et al. (U.S. Patent No.: 6,392,690), hereinafter referred to as Fujii, in view of Kaise et al. (U.S. Patent No.: 6,002,459), hereinafter referred to as Kaise. Claims 3-16, 18, and 20-23 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as allegedly being